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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS Weiss, et al.

FOR: IN VITRO AND IN VIVO PROLIFERATION AND USE OF
MULTIPOTENT STEM CELLS AND THEIR PROGENY

August 9, 2001

Boston, Massachusetts

Box PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

**REQUEST FOR FILING A CONTINUING UTILITY APPLICATION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)**

1. This is a request for filing a continuing application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b).
This application is a continuation of United States patent application 08/484,203, filed on June 7, 1995.
2. Priority to the above application is claimed under:
☒ 35 U.S.C. §120
United States patent application 08/484,203, filed on June 7, 1995
Examiner: R. Hayes, Art unit: 1647

APPLICATION ELEMENTS:

3. ☒ Specification (Total pages: 103):
Claims (3 pages); Abstract (1 page); and
4. ☒ Declaration (total pages: 3)
☒ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. §1.63(d))
5. ☒ Incorporation by reference

The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the declaration is supplied, is part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference.

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS:

6. ☒ Preliminary Amendment

A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed herewith. Please enter the claim amendments prior to calculating the filing fee.

7. Fee Calculation:

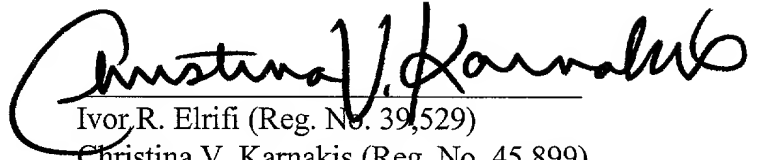
CLAIMS AS FILED					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. §1.16(a) \$710.00
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(c))	3	- 20 =		\$ 18.00	\$
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(b))	1	- 3 =		\$78.00	\$0
Multiple Dependent Claims, if any (37 C.F.R. §1.16(d))	0			\$260.00	\$0.00
SUBTOTAL:					\$710.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity:					- \$355.00
TOTAL FEE:					\$355.00

8. ☒ A check in the amount of **\$355.00** is enclosed.
9. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 17810-705 (CTI-N5 DIV11 CON).

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10. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard Enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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